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SUBJECT:DHEW/OHD:RSA/SFCP - INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH PROGRAM
PROJECT ON BLINDNESS - 19-P-58229-F-01

1. THE REHABILITATION SERVICES ADMINISTRATION REQUESTS
STATUS REPORT OF PROJECT 19-P-58229-F-01 "PREPARATION OF
YOUNG BLIND ADULTS FOR TRAINING IN TECHNICAL TRADE SCHOOLS
IN MOROCCO." PROJECT WAS APPROVED INITIALLY WITH THE
ORGANIZATION ALAQUITE POUR LA PROTECTION DES AVEUGLES IN
1972 AND WAS REVISED IN 1974 WHEN DR. DOUGLASS MACFARLAND,
MR. HAROLD RICHTERMAN AND MR. WILLIAM COPPAGE VISITED THE
PROJECT IN 1974. THE LAST TERMINATION DATE WAS SET FOR
DEC. 1975.

2. PROJECT DIRECTOR WAS MR. MOHAMED DOUMAU, SECRETARY-
GENERAL, OAPAM AND PRINCESS LAMIA SOLH HAD VERY ACTIVE PART
IN OVERALL PROGRAM. UNFORTUNATELY RSA (FORMERLY SRS) HAS
NOT RECEIVED ANY REPORTS OF PROGRESS AND AGENCY IS VERY
INTERESTED IN KNOWING STATUS OF PROJECT. IF PROBLEMS HAVE
ARISEN DOES EMBASSY RECOMMEND THAT FURTHER SPECIAL
ASSISTANCE BE ENCOURAGED.

3. RSA APPRECIATES EMBASSY ASSISTANCE AND EARLY RESPONSE

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